

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

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IN RE: VITAMINS ANTITRUST LITIGATION

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Misc. No. 99-197 (TFH)  
MDL No. 1285

This document relates to:

**FILED**

LIVENGOOD FEEDS, INC. et al.,

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**Plaintiffs,**

NANCY MAYER WHITTINGTON, CLERK  
U.S. DISTRICT COURT

v.

MERCK KgaA., et al.,

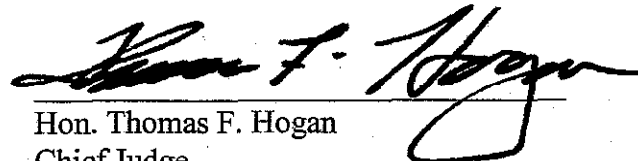
**Defendants.**

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**ORDER APPROVING PAYMENT OF  
ESTIMATED TAXES BY ESCROW AGENT**

Upon the request of Class Plaintiffs' Co-Lead Counsel, payment of taxes by the Escrow Agent in the amount of \$96,064 for the tax year 2002 and \$23,225 for the first quarter of tax year 2003 is hereby APPROVED.

Dated: March 11, 2003



Hon. Thomas F. Hogan  
Chief Judge  
United States District Court  
for the District of Columbia

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